



Pages: An Arts, Literacy, and Writing Program



Purpose

Pages supports the development of students' writing skills through the exploration of contemporary art, film, and performing arts. During this yearlong program, students work with writers, artists, and educators in specially crafted experiences at the Wexner Center and at their respective schools. These learning opportunities engage myriad themes, content areas, and disciplines. Additionally, each year, students have an opportunity to submit writings (and art) for an anthology published by the Wexner Center for the Arts.

Impact

Students think critically about art and ideas.

Students use creative problem solving to express themselves through writing.

Students are confident and enthusiastic about expressing themselves verbally and through writing.



Ohio State Colleges/Units Involved Wexner Center for the Arts

Community Partners Involved

Annually 3-4 local, nationally recognized artists of varying disciplines
Arts and College Preparatory Academy
Central Crossing High School
Delaware Hayes High School
Franklin Heights High School
Mosaic, an Art and Humanities Program
Westerville North High School
Whetstone High School

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How you can get involved:

- Work with, support program partners (tutoring, and other K-12 related supports)
- Work with Wexner Center Educators during program development
- Engage in programming and provide programming support as needed
- Provide supports for students to engage (internships, fellowships)
- Provide professional or disciplinary expertise

To get involved, contact:

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